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### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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2 <u>342.00 (IP</u> <u>Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:</u> 05 FC:1202

> An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- . Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - The drawing figures contain text that is not in English (including, for example, a flow

chart that was originally not in English that has been marked up to include the English text) (see 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) and 37 CFR 1.52(d)(1)). See Figure(s) 1,2,4,6,17A,18A,19,39,45.

### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1030 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- \$130 for English translation surcharge required.

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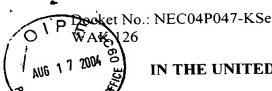
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### SUBMISSION OF DECLARATION

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (copy attached), dated June 18, 2004, submitted herewith is the signed declaration for the above-identified patent application, along with our check in the amount of \$2358 to cover the \$770 application fee, the \$1288 for total claims and 11 over 3 independent claims, \$130 surcharge for the late filing of the declaration, \$130 for English Translation surcharge and \$40 for the assignment recordation fee.

Please charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully submitted.

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### SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Sir:

Submitted herewith are twenty six (26) sheets of formal drawings comprising figures 1-54 for the above-identified patent application. Acknowledgment of receipt in respectfully requested. Please substitute these formal drawings for the drawings which were filed with the application.

Respectfully submitted.

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